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B2 reference level and the measured instantaneous light intensity. By introducing a slight delay in responding to the variation of the light intensity, the dispensing rate can be stabilized. The forward scattered light intensity as a function of the dispense rate shows a nearly linear behavior in the limited range of interest in the dispense rates, even though strictly speaking, it varies exponentially with the dispense rate.

A version with changes marked in the specification is attached.

In the Claims

Please amend claim 31 as follows:

B3 31. (First Amendment) A web comprising embedded particles formed by a method for dispensing particles onto a surface comprising:

- holding the particles in a hopper having an opening;
- dispensing a screen over the opening;
- passing bristles of a brush across the screen;
- drawing the particles through the screen with the brush; and
- dispersing the particles into the air such that they settle onto the surface.

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